

DECISION No. 1/06
REVISION OF THE OSCC SCALES OF
DISTRIBUTION

FOR 2005–2007 DUE TO THE REVISION OF THE
OSCE STANDARD SCALE OF CONTRIBUTIONS
FOR 2005–2007

The Open Skies Consultative Commission (OSCC),

1. Pursuant to the provisions of paragraph 4 (D) of Article X and paragraph 9 of Section I of Annex L of the Treaty on Open Skies,
2. In accordance with the provisions and Annexes of Decision Number Ten to the Treaty on Open Skies of 16 July 1993 (OSCC/III/Dec.10) contained in the Appendix to this decision,
3. Pursuant to the provision of paragraph 1 of OSCC Decision No. 21/02 of 9 September 2002 (OSCC.DEC/21/02) that “the scale of distribution of the Open Skies Consultative Commission shall be revised to reflect any revisions of the Standard Scale of Contributions” (replacing the OSCE’s “Helsinki scale”),
4. Taking into account OSCE Permanent Council Decision No. 704 of 24 November 2005 on the scales of contributions for 2005–2007 (PC.DEC/704), which revised the OSCE Standard Scale of Contributions for 2005, 2006 and 2007,
5. Taking into account that the special regime established by OSCC/III/Dec.10 continues to apply for the Russian Federation, Ukraine, Belarus and Georgia, and that respective ad hoc additional contributions of these States Parties in 2005, 2006 and 2007 amount to 0.05, 0.02, 0.01 and 0.01 (in percentages),

Decides to redistribute OSCC costs and agrees on the following revised scales of distribution for the common expenses associated with the operation of the OSCC:

1. The OSCC scale of distribution contained in Annex 1 shall be retroactively applied for the redistribution of OSCC costs for the period between 1 January 2005 and 30 June 2005;
2. The OSCC scale of distribution contained in Annex 2 shall be retroactively applied for the redistribution of OSCC costs for the period between 1 July 2005 and 30 September 2005;
3. The OSCC scale of distribution contained in Annex 3 shall be applied for the distribution of OSCC costs for the period between 1 October 2005 and 31 December 2005;

4. The OSCC scale of distribution contained in Annex 4 shall be applied for the distribution of OSCC costs as of 1 January 2006.

5. The OSCC scale of distribution contained in Annex 5 shall be applied for the distribution of OSCC costs as of 1 January 2007.

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Decided in Vienna, in the Open Skies Consultative Commission, on 27 March 2006, in each of the six languages specified in Article XIX of the Treaty on Open Skies, all texts being equally authentic.

THE OSCC SCALE OF DISTRIBUTION FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1 JANUARY 2005 TO 30 JUNE 2005

United States of America	12.073
Germany	10.262
France	10.262
United Kingdom	10.262
Italy	10.262
Russian Federation	6.670
Canada	5.981
Spain	4.917
Netherlands	4.335
Sweden	3.819
Belgium	3.808
Norway	2.4145
Denmark	2.250
Finland	2.162
Poland	1.5255
Turkey	1.108
Greece	1.043
Portugal	1.010
Ukraine	0.840
Hungary	0.713
Czech Republic	0.713
Romania	0.680
Bulgaria	0.604
Luxembourg	0.549
Belarus	0.360
Slovakia	0.335
Slovenia	0.2195
Croatia	0.2085

Iceland	0.2085	
Latvia	0.2085	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.137	
Georgia	<u>0.060</u>	
	Total	100.000

THE OSCC SCALE OF DISTRIBUTION

FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1 JULY 2005 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2005

United States of America	12.045
Germany	10.2385
France	10.2385
United Kingdom	10.2385
Italy	10.2385
Russian Federation	6.670
Canada	5.968
Spain	4.906
Netherlands	4.325
Sweden	3.811
Belgium	3.800
Norway	2.409
Denmark	2.245
Finland	2.157
Poland	1.522
Turkey	1.106
Greece	1.040
Portugal	1.007
Ukraine	0.840
Hungary	0.712
Czech Republic	0.712
Romania	0.679
Bulgaria	0.602
Luxembourg	0.548
Belarus	0.360
Slovakia	0.334
Slovenia	0.219
Croatia	0.208
Estonia	0.208
Iceland	0.208
Latvia	0.208
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.137
Georgia	<u>0.060</u>
Total	100.000

THE OSCC SCALE OF DISTRIBUTION
FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1 OCTOBER 2005 TO 31
DECEMBER 2005

United States of America	12.018	
Germany	10.215	
France	10.215	
United Kingdom	10.215	
Italy	10.215	
Russian Federation	6.670	
Canada	5.954	
Spain	4.895	
Netherlands	4.316	
Sweden	3.802	
Belgium	3.791	
Norway	2.404	
Denmark	2.240	
Finland	2.152	
Poland	1.519	
Turkey	1.103	
Greece	1.038	
Portugal	1.005	
Ukraine	0.840	
Hungary	0.710	
Czech Republic	0.710	
Romania	0.677	
Bulgaria	0.601	
Luxembourg	0.546	
Belarus	0.360	
Slovakia	0.333	
Slovenia	0.219	
Croatia	0.208	
Estonia	0.208	
Iceland	0.208	
Latvia	0.208	
Lithuania	0.208	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.137	
Georgia	<u>0.060</u>	
Total		100.000

THE OSCC SCALE OF DISTRIBUTION

EFFECTIVE AS OF 1 JANUARY 2006

United States of America	12.070
Germany	10.259
France	10.259
United Kingdom	10.259
Italy	10.259
Russian Federation	6.550
Canada	6.068
Spain	5.025
Netherlands	4.565
Sweden	3.698
Belgium	3.665
Norway	2.359
Denmark	2.217
Finland	2.107
Poland	1.470
Turkey	1.108
Greece	1.075
Portugal	1.075
Ukraine	0.730
Hungary	0.658
Romania	0.658
Czech Republic	0.658
Bulgaria	0.604
Luxembourg	0.516
Belarus	0.320
Slovakia	0.307
Slovenia	0.219
Croatia	0.209
Estonia	0.209
Iceland	0.209
Latvia	0.209
Lithuania	0.209
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.137
Georgia	<u>0.060</u>
Total	100.000

THE OSCC SCALE OF DISTRIBUTION

EFFECTIVE AS OF 1 JANUARY 2007

United States of America	12.638
Germany	10.275
France	10.275
United Kingdom	10.275
Italy	10.275
Canada	6.077
Russian Federation	6.050
Spain	5.033
Netherlands	4.791
Belgium	3.561
Sweden	3.561
Denmark	2.308
Norway	2.253
Finland	2.033
Poland	1.484
Turkey	1.110
Greece	1.077
Portugal	1.077
Ukraine	0.700
Hungary	0.659
Romania	0.659
Czech Republic	0.626
Bulgaria	0.604
Luxembourg	0.517
Slovakia	0.308
Belarus	0.290
Slovenia	0.242
Croatia	0.209
Estonia	0.209
Iceland	0.209
Latvia	0.209
Lithuania	0.209
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.137
Georgia	<u>0.060</u>
Total	100.000

Provisions of OSCC/III/Dec.10:

"1. The scale of distribution for the common expenses associated with the operation of the Open Skies Consultative Commission (hereafter referred to as the "scale of distribution of the Open Skies Consultative Commission") is based on the scale of distribution adopted in Helsinki on 10 July 1992, by the participating States to the CSCE (hereafter referred to as the "Helsinki scale"). The special regime established by this Decision takes into account present economic conditions and is limited in scope and in time. It does not constitute a precedent for any other CSCE or CSCE related body.

2. Taking into account the fact that not all participating States to the CSCE are Parties to the Treaty, States Parties have to make an additional contribution to their contribution to the "Helsinki scale", in order to cover the existing shortfall.

(A) As a rule, this additional contribution will be proportional to the "Helsinki scale". Nevertheless, any State Party may provide a higher additional contribution.

(B) However, taking into account their present economic situation, those countries listed in Annex A to this Decision will be exempted from the proportional contribution mentioned in subparagraph (A) and will only make an ad hoc additional contribution, agreed by the States Parties.

(C) The special regime established in subparagraph (B) will last as long as the economic situation of the countries listed in Annex A to this Decision so requires. The special regime will thus be subject to review every year.

3. As long as only participating States to the CSCE are Parties to the Treaty, and provided that there remains a shortfall to be covered, the financial contribution to the scale of distribution of the Open Skies Consultative Commission of any State Party will have to be superior to its contribution to the "Helsinki scale".

Annex A to OSCC/III/Dec.10:

"List of countries to which the special regime established in paragraph 2, subparagraph (B) of the Decision on the scale of distribution of the Open Skies Consultative Commission may apply:

Armenia

Azerbaijan

Belarus

Georgia

Kazakhstan
 Kyrgyzstan
 Moldova
 Russian Federation
 Tajikistan
 Turkmenistan
 Ukraine
 Uzbekistan”

Annex B to OSCC/III/Dec.10:

“1. The financial contribution to the scale of distribution of the OSCC of each State Party to the Treaty, except those which benefit from the special regime established in paragraph 2, subparagraph (B) of the above-mentioned Decision, those that provide higher additional contributions and those which are not participating States to the CSCE, is calculated as follows (in percentages):

$$OS_i = K \times H_i$$

where: H_i

= State Party to which the present paragraph applies

$$OS_i =$$

financial contribution of State Party i

$$H_i =$$

contribution to the “Helsinki scale” of State Party i

$$K =$$

correction coefficient

2. The financial contribution to the scale of distribution of the OSCC of a State Party that provides a higher additional contribution is calculated as follows (in percentages):

$$OS_m = H_m + E_m$$

where: H_m

= State Party to which the present paragraph applies

$$OS_m =$$

financial contribution of State Party m

$$H_m =$$

contribution to the “Helsinki scale” of State Party m

E_m =
additional contribution of State Party m

3. The financial contribution to the scale of distribution of the OSCC of a State Party to which the special regime established in paragraph 2, subparagraph (B) of the above-mentioned Decision applies is calculated as follows (in percentages):

$OS_j = H_j + A_j$
where: j
= State Party to which the present paragraph applies

OS_j =
financial contribution of State Party j

H_j =
contribution to the "Helsinki scale" of State Party j

A_j =
ad hoc additional contribution of State Party j

4. Coefficient K is determined from the formula:

$$(K \times \sum H_i) + \sum OS_m + \sum OS_j = 100\%$$

$$\text{or: } K = \frac{100\% - \sum OS_m - \sum OS_j}{\sum H_i}$$

where: $\sum H_i$ =
sum of contributions to "Helsinki scale" of States Parties i — see paragraph 1 above.

$\sum OS_m$ =
sum of contributions to the scale of distribution of the OSCC of States Parties m — see paragraph 2 above.

$\sum OS_j$ =
sum of contributions to the scale of distribution of the OSCC of States Parties j — see paragraph 3 above."